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APPLICANT : Robert A. Davidson DOCKET NO: 186/1  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

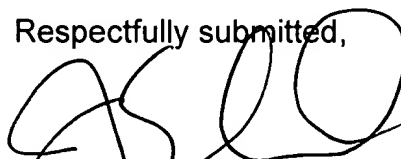
Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the fee for a 1-month Extension of Time. (Large Entity)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees applicable to the undersigned attorney's deposit account No. 50-2716. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for that purpose.

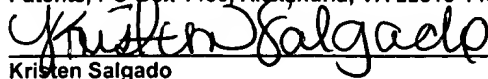
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